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Letter dated 14 April 2008 from the Permanent Representative of the Sudan to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council

Further to my successive earlier letters to the Security Council concerning the repeated violations by Chad of the Dakar Agreement and of all the agreements signed between our two countries, the most recent such letter being the one addressed to your predecessor dated 31 March 2008, I am writing to you on this occasion to inform you that at 5 p.m. on Saturday, 12 April, a force of the Justice and Equality Movement launched an attack from inside Chadian territory on the area of Jabal Kushkush, situated 5 kilometres inside Sudanese territory. The area was attacked from the north by 50 Land Cruisers and from the west by infantry and horsemen. The Sudanese armed forces dealt with that attack but other groups coming from Chad launched a further attack at 6.30 p.m. on the same day. In those confrontations, three members of the armed forces were killed and 31 wounded.

We are bringing this succession of brazen and ongoing attacks by our neighbour Chad to the attention of the Security Council in order to emphasize that, at a time when the Government of the Sudan is doing its utmost to bring about stability in Chad and to abide by the Dakar Agreement and earlier agreements, the Government of Chad is proving to the international community on a daily basis that it is determined to persist in its reckless acts of aggression against the Sudan and its territorial integrity and to endeavour, by means of these attacks and violations, to destabilize the region and to impede efforts to achieve a political settlement in Darfur.

Finally, I should be grateful if you would have the present letter circulated as a document of the Security Council.

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